RAWR
Why won't you release the next chapter?!
Can I help you?
What can I do to help?
Fan Girl
It's not like YOU helped out any...
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OMG! OMG! *is speechless* OMG! *curses the high heavens* Someone tell me Im drawing the wrong conclusion on the ending here!!! :O

- Lacaille

From the author of "Kuremochiko Kutsuten" - Sakai Mayu
The new one-shot
19 poges
The only sound I can hear is
the melody you play on me
Blind x Doll
SAKAI MAYU

A long time ago, my granny told me that...
in this town...
the wind blows only when someone has died
MERMAID-SAN,
I HAVE SOMETHING TO ASK OF YOU. PLEASE, SAY "YES."
In this town, the wind is the worst of omens.

I'M REALLY SORRY TO HAVE TO SAY THIS TO YOU TWO
BUT I DON'T HAVE ANY INTENTION TO DATE ANYONE
I'M SURE I'LL ONLY BE A BOTHER IF I DID, ANYWAY
BOTHER? NO SUCH THING!
BEING UNABLE TO SEE YOUR BEAUTY
IS LIKE LOSING THE SIGHT IN OUR EYES!

That smell.
Again
Ah
HE-HEH
SUCH SKILLED COMPLI-MENTS
IS HE HERE ?
AH!
REALLY
THAT GUY IS LOOKING AGAIN!
THAT GUY MUST BE IN LOVE WITH YOU
HE DOESN'T KNOW HIS OWN PLACE
HEY! YOU!

YOU WANT TO TALK TO HER RIGHT?
HOW ABOUT YOU COME OVER HERE FIRST?
Hahaha
Hahaha
The sound of shoe-soles worn thin.
The smell of dust and old machine oil.
So different from these men, shrouded in perfumes and ringing with loud high-heeled shoes.
I WONDER WHO HE IS...

SO, MERMAID
WAS THERE ANY AMONG THE MARRIAGE CANDIDATES WHO CAUGHT YOUR FANCY?
WHAT?
HE LOOKS JUST LIKE A GOOD-FOR-NOTHING NOBODY FROM SOME RUN-DOWN TINY FAMILY SHOP
YOU DON'T NEED TO KNOW PEOPLE LIKE THAT. THEY ARE BELOW YOU...
NONE AS OF YET...
THEY'RE ALL SONS OF RICH FAMILIES
ANY ONE YOU CHOOSE WILL BE ABLE TO MAKE YOU HAPPY
YOU DON'T HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT ANYTHING
JUST LEAVE EVERYTHING TO US

that I shouldn't notice the ugly and difficult things
of this world
Everyone tells me
They say I don't have to be good for anything
All I have to do is look beautiful and cute. That's all. Every day
Just like a doll...
YOU MUST GIVE US YOUR ANSWER TODAY
WHAT DO I HAVE TO DO TO MAKE YOU WANT TO MARRY ME?

I'M SORRY FOR THE REST OF THE MEN HERE
BUT I'M ONE OF THE FIVE MOST BEAUTIFUL MEN IN THIS COUNTRY
WHO, YOU?!
HOW DARE YOU BRING THAT UP WHEN YOU KNOW SHE CAN'T TELL IF IT'S TRUE, YOU SNEAK?!
I'M BETTER THAN YOU!
WHAT DID YOU CALL ME?!
I UNDERSTAND...
SO, HERE'S WHAT WE'LL DO.
I WILL MARRY THE ONE WHO LETS ME HEAR SOMETHING AMAZING, SOMETHING I'VE NEVER HEARD BEFORE
THIS WAY, IT'LL BE ALL IMPARTIAL CORRECT
Yes!

I AGREE!
I'LL FIND SOMETHING FASTER THAN ANYONE ELSE!
These men are pitiable.
MERMAID-SAN!
I'VE GOT TICKETS TO THIS FAMOUS ORCHESTRA'S PERFORMANCE!
THE BEST SEATS IN THE HOUSE.
I'VE BEEN TO THEIR CONCERTS EVERY YEAR SINCE I WAS THIRTEEN.
PRIVATE PERFORMANCES, OF COURSE.

THE A TONE IS NOT IN TUNE.
COULDN'T YOU AT LEAST TUNE IT BEFORE THAT?
THIS MUSICAL INSTRUMENT IS THE ONLY ONE IN THE WORLD!
I WILL PLAY IT FOR YOU.
DID YOU REALLY THINK I WOULDN'T NOTICE IF YOU IMITATED IT?
ONE OF THE MINOR THEMES IN IT
GERMAN BELL'S THIRD SYMPHONY
I WROTE A SONG FOR YOU
PLEASE HEAR IT!
Dejected
Is there a sound I have never heard?
Famous composers and unusual instruments no longer impress me
I've been listening to the most beautiful music and sounds ever since I was little
What a pity.

We'll go to a music box exhibition tomorrow
DID I FORGET IT SOME-WHERE?
MY PLAYER
I don't think there's any left...
AH
WIND...
? EH?
I DON'T THINK SO.
Is it really ?
HOW EERIE
SOMEONE MUST HAVE DIED CLOSE BY

IT'S AS IF THE WIND HAS COME TO SAY GOODBYE
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?
WHOEVER ASKED YOUR OPINION?!
WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?!
IT'S JUST THIS
!
THIS BELONGS TO MERMAID-SAN!
DID YOU STEAL IT?!
NO, SHE FORGOT IT AT THE PLAZA
WE KNOW YOU'RE ALWAYS LOOKING AT HER
WE'LL HAND YOU TO THE POLICE!
WAIT!
NO VIOLENCE...
crash

LEAVE ME ALONE!
BUT...
I CAN GET HOME ON MY OWN FROM HERE
EH?
BUT-
I'M GOING HOME NOW
ME-
MERMAID-SAN

WHERE ARE YOU
That smell
ARE YOU HERE?
Stomp
DON'T BE AFRAID
I JUST CAME TO GIVE YOU THIS
YOU...
FIXED IT FOR ME..?
I REMODELED IT, SO THAT IT CAN CATCH THE FORBIDDEN "JUNK" BROADCASTS
SO I THINK IT'LL BE BEST IF YOU DON'T LET YOUR PARENTS HEAR IT
IT'S YOUR PRECIOUS LINK TO THE OUTSIDE WORLD, AFTER ALL, ISN'T IT?

WHAT'S YOUR NAME?
WHO ARE YOU?
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
THANKS
SEE YOU
AH!
WAIT!
A NAME
CALL ME "GOLDFISH," THEN
GOLD-FISH?
OTHER PEOPLE WOULDN'T TELL ME WHO YOU ARE
THEY SAID I DON'T NEED TO KNOW YOU
BUT I
LISTEN TO WHAT THOSE PEOPLE TELL YOU
I'M A HUMAN NOT WORTH KNOWING
NOT IN THIS TOWN WHERE THE WIND DOESN'T BLOW ANYMORE
MER-MAID?
ARE YOU TALKING TO SOME-ONE?

He's really...
just looking from afar.
Every morning and evening, at a set time
He doesn't want anything from me...
I WONDER WHY HE ENJOYS THAT ?
Goldfish
The man with so many scars and blisters on his hands
I HAVE TO LEAVE
WILL YOU COME AGAIN ?
YOU HAVE TO LET ME THANK YOU FOR THIS!
THEN...
JUST LET ME KEEP LOOKING AT YOU FROM AFAR

He hasn't arrived today yet...
paws
thud
?!
NO...
YOU WERE SO FULL OF YOURSELF AND PLAYING ALMIGHTY THAT
YOU DIDN'T EVEN NOTICE OUR SMELL, EH?
NOW IT'S OUR TURN TO HAVE SOME FUN
.....
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?!
STOP!
DAMN

IT'S NOT THE FIRST TIME
SUCH A THING HAS HAPPENED
IF I DIED
WOULD THE WIND CARRY ME TO YOU?
S-la.m
ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?!
DIDN'T THEY HIT YOU?
ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?
I'M FINE. IT WAS NOTHING.
FORGET THAT! ARE YOU HURT?

DON'T SPEAK OF DYING...
WHY NOT?!
I... CAN'T SEE ANY-THING.
NOT THE SKY, NOT THE SEA, NOT THE FLOWERS.
NO FUTURE, NO HOPES.
TELL ME, WHAT'S THE MEANING OF LIVING LIKE THIS?! LIKE A DOLL..!
MERMAID!
YOU SAID YOU'D MARRY THE MAN
WHO LET YOU HEAR A SOUND YOU'VE NEVER HEARD BEFORE, RIGHT?

ALL RIGHT.
BUT YOU DON'T HAVE TO MARRY ME
DO IT, IF YOU THINK YOU CAN.
DOES THAT PROMISE GO FOR ME AS WELL?
PROMISE ME.
INSTEAD, PROMISE TO NEVER AGAIN SAY YOU WANT TO DIE

I PROMISE...
AND I'LL AMAZE YOU
It has been a week since he said that.
And there hasn't been any contact from him.
I guess he got bored and gave up, after all.

A LETTER ...?
KNOCK KNOCK
MY LADY,
FOR YOU
WHAT IS IT?
Greetings, my lady Mermaid.
How do you do?
It took me some time but
my preparations are finished and I can invite you here.

you were the only ray of light
I had lost my family, and the family business. In a life like mine
I work at a factory to earn some extra money. I saw you on that hill when I was going to work
If I have to be honest
I've known you for a long time now.
I'll be waiting for you at my house.
This time it's my turn
to give you hope
I've attached a map to the letter
See you tomorrow at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.
Give it to your driver
THANK YOU WAIT HERE

In every direction
there are obstacles in the way,
as if pointing me to the right direction.
GOLDFISH?
OPEN
WHERE IS HE...?
AH.
WIN-DOW
IN THIS A DEAD END?
Should I wait here...?
DING-DONG
THE 4 O'CLOCK BELLS.

HURRY, COME.
HURRY...

THIS IS FOR YOU.
I'LL MAKE YOU HEAR...

HOW
VIVID AND
BRILLIANT
THIS
WORLD IS.

The wind of the dead ones plays a tribute to the world of the living overflowing with hope...

Blind Doll - The End